



# LAESF Scholarships

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In celebration of the Lab's 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary, the Los Alamos Employee Scholarship Fund awarded 73 students with monies to help them pursue college degrees. The recipients' scholarships will come from more than \$411,000 in donations from Lab employees and Los Alamos National Security, LLC. The students are from the seven counties in Northern New Mexico. Administered by the Los Alamos National Laboratory Foundation, the scholarship fund began as a grassroots effort by Lab employees in 1998 to help ensure deserving students would receive the support they needed to obtain degrees that would serve the region. Awards are based on academic performance, leadership potential, critical thinking skills and career goals. Financial need, diversity and regional representation are integral components of the selections process.

Congratulations to all of this year's winners!

The top scholarship winners for 2013: Gold Scholars: \$20,000 (\$5,000 per year for four years) Kevin Gao, Los Alamos High School Danielle Harrier, Pojoaque Valley High School Micaela Lucero, St. Michael's High School Silver Scholars: \$10,000 (\$2,500 per

year for four years) Aaron Bao, Los Alamos High School Anna Finck, West Las Vegas High School Victoria Gomez, Robertson High School Paulina Majewska, Los Alamos High School Kimberly Nguyen, Rio Rancho High School\_ Domenici Scholars: \$10,000 (\$2,500 per year for four years) Monica Abeyta, Escalante High School Isaac Green, Desert Academy Andrew Mascarenas, Questa High School Gregory Medina, West Las Vegas High School Chantel Rivera, Mora High School Dalton Smith, Los Alamos High School Carly Thomas, Cuba High School\_ Leadership Scholars: \$10,000 (\$2,500 per year for four years)Christy Lovato, Española Valley High School Sarah Pyatt, Taos High School

For the complete list of this year's winners and information on how to apply for the 2014 scholarships, see the [LANL Foundation website](http://www.lanl.gov).

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